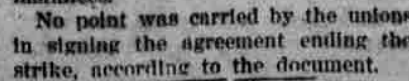


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Washington, April 4.—An entire industry was charged with unfair trade practices in complaints issued by the federal trade commission against the Cutler Mail Chute company of Rochester, N. Y., and the American Mailing Device corporation of New York. Each concern is the sole competitor of the other, and each was alleged to have sold its products at or below cost in an effort to force the other out of the market. Hearings were set for May 13.

New York, April 4.—As the result of many complaints of glass being found in bread and flour, the federal food board has ordered Brooklyn bakers to discharge all Germans in their employ, it became known here. One large concern reported that it had discharged two German employees.

**CATTLE**—Good to choice steers, \$13.50 to 15.50; yearlings, good to choice, \$8.00 to \$13.00; calves, good to choice, \$5.00 to \$12.00; good to choice cows, \$10.00 to \$12.00; good to choice heifers, \$9.00 to \$12.50; fair to good cows, \$7.75 to \$8.75; canners, \$5.50 to 7.25; cutters, \$7.00 to 9.75; bologna bulls, \$3.00 to 3.50; butcher bulls \$3.00 to \$1.00; heavy calves, \$3.00 to \$1.00; veal calves, \$3.00 to \$1.00.

**HOGS**—Prime light butchers, \$17.75 to \$19.00; fair to fancy light, \$17.50 to \$18.50; medium weight butchers, 200 to 340 lbs., \$14.00 to \$17.00; heavy weight butchers, 240 to 400 lbs., \$13.75 to \$15.00; choice heavy packing, \$15.25 to \$17.00; rough heavy, \$12.00 to \$15.00; good to choice, \$14.00 to \$17.25; stags, \$17.00 to 18.25.

**SHEEP**—Good to choice wethers, \$14.00 to 17.00; good to choice ewes, \$12.00 to \$13.00; yearlings, \$15.00 to 17.50; western lambs, good to choice, \$15.00 to 17.50; eastern lambs, good to choice, \$14.00 to 17.00; shorn lambs, \$15.00 to 17.50; shorn wethers, \$12.00 to \$13.50.

With the American Army in France April 4.—Norman Hall of Colfax, Ia., author of "Kitchener's Mob," now a pilot aviator in the Lafayette escadrille, shot down two German airplanes this morning. He was shot down himself seven minutes on March 27, it was announced today. Hall accomplished the feat on the scene of the great German offensive.

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